IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Wataru KAKINOKI et al.

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Art Unit: 2841

Examiner: D. Levi

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, please reconsider the above-identified application In view of the following remarks.

Listing of the Claims begins on page **2**. No amendments have been made to the Claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.